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Dear Mr. Weisberg:

I have just received your good letter of May 30, 1981, precipitated I presume by George Lardner's May 30, 1981 Washington Post article, I appreciate very much your writing me and willingness to share the fruits of your research and knowledge of FBI files.

Let me begin by stating that there are break-in documents in the FBI's headquarters files--in addition to break-in documents filed in the "personal folders" of SACs. I am willing to concede that not all the 330,000 pages of documents are break-in documents but do not think that break-in documents constitute a "minute part" of this file. If minute, then we probably are talking about documents that number at least 25,000--and that is a sizable number in any event. I do know the serial number for June Mail authorization documents, 66-1372 and for that reason am intrigued by your reference to file number 66-2554-7530 authorizing transfer of records into "JUNE" files in the "Special Files Room of Records Branch." Let me request, then, one favor. Could you send me a copy of 66-2554-7530. I think I would find it helpful before submitting a request for the totality of this file--on the basis of this number it appears that this file numbers in the thousands of pages, perhaps tens of thousands.

At this time, let me pass on your offer to provide search records from your suit Ca 75-1996.

Thank you for your letter and, if you would, do send me 66-2554-7530 immediately.

Sincerely,

Athan Theoharis